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In re Application of:
Ledbetter et al

Application No.: 10/053,530

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Examiner: David Blanchard

For: Binding Domain Immunoglobulin Fusion Proteins

RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.111

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to a Final Action (hereinafter "the Action") mailed October 12, 2006 in the above-mentioned application.

This paper is timely filed two months after mailing of the Final Action. No fees are believed due in connection with this paper. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required for this response to Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP deposit account number 13-2855.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.